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## Beach Districts Entertain Biggest Holiday Crowds In History

### NOW'S THE TIME TO "CLEAN UP"

WEED-GROWN LOTS  
IN THE BEACH SECTIONS  
BADLY NEED ATTENTION

Next week, July 12 to 17, has been officially declared "Clean Up Week" for San Diego and its suburbs, and co-operation among residents and property owners will do much towards making a city beautiful.

Commenting on the "clean-up" situation, the observant and philosophic "Colonel Roundabout" recently stated in his popular column in the "Union" that "The weeds are particularly bad along some streets between the curb and the sidewalks. Many streets in Ocean Beach where I live, are being paved, and eventually this fine beach suburb will come into its own, but not until the clean-up spirit is made to prevail. Those who fail to clean up their premises, lacking civic pride, should be made to do so by law. This also goes for every other section of the city where similar conditions exist. One particularly bad thing that should be corrected is a way some shiftless people have of letting wrecks of abandoned automobiles stand in vacant lots until they rust to pieces—a poor advertisement for any municipality. There is a lot of such wreckage on a Cape May avenue vacant lot not far from my well-kept little place on Brighton avenue, and I weary of looking at it from my front window. The people who do keep their property clean, should appeal to those who don't to get busy. All right, let's go!"

PAVILION BARBER SHOP—Under personal direction of A. H. Maier. Skillful service, always.

PENINSULA MASONIC LODGE  
CONFERS FIRST DEGREE

Last Thursday night a candidate was given the first degree in Masonry by the officers and members of Peninsula Masonic lodge at the Masonic hall on Newport avenue.

NEW STORE BUILDING  
OF CONCRETE AND TILE

P. Caloudes has taken out a permit for a new store building of concrete and tile at 4955-59 Voltaire street to cost \$3,700.

OFFICERS' CAMP OPENS  
AT FORT ROSECRANS

An officers' instruction camp for the 251st Company, California National Guard, opened last Monday at Fort Rosecrans in charge of Captain Carrington. About 30 officers will attend and the course will include firing the coast defense guns, it is announced, something that has not occurred for a long time.

YOUNG PEOPLE'S CONFERENCE

Rev. William I. Newman, pastor of the Congregational church, has just returned from Ramona college, Clermont, where he was one of the directors of the Southern California Congregational Young People's conference. The conference is a yearly event at Pomona college; 250 boys and girls of high school age were in attendance.

BOYS' WATERMELON FEAST

A watermelon feast will be given on Saturday, July 17, for the Boys' Club of the Union Congregational church on DeFoe street.

DEMISE OF E. S. STEPHENSON

The passing is recorded at Point Loma, Calif., July 3, of Edward Stanley Stephenson, husband of Mrs. Mitsu Stephenson of Point Loma; a native of England, aged 55 years 2 months 11 days. Funeral services were held at the Temple of Peace, Theosophical Headquarters, Point Loma, last Monday at 8:30 a. m.

Classified Ads Get Quick Results.

Kodak Films—Froide—Bacon St.  
A REAL HEROINE



Edith May Adams of Barrington, N. J., the first American School girl to be entered as a candidate for the American Youth Award. The American Youth and Teacher Award was established by the Board of Directors of the Sesqui-Centennial International Exposition in Philadelphia as a tribute to the youth and teachers of the nation. Miss Adams is a candidate for the Golden Eaglette, the highest gift in the hands of the Girl Scouts. She was cited recently for exceptional bravery for remaining inside a blazing building helping physicians to give first aid treatment to injured firemen.

UNION LEAGUE CLUB  
OUTING NEXT WEDNESDAY  
AT OCEAN BEACH

Members of the Union League Club and their friends will hold an outing at Ocean Beach, next Wednesday, July 14. The program calls for a special buffet supper to be served in the manufacturing establishment of the Earle Products company, on Niagara avenue, preceded by swimming accommodations at the Silver Spray plunge and followed with terpsichorean and musical entertainment at Benbough's dance pavilion.

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CONSTABLE GEO. H. COOLEY  
SEEKS RE-ELECTION

If service, appearance and all round ability as a peace officer count for anything, Constable Geo. H. Cooley is as good as re-elected to the job he now holds and has held for many years. Tall, erect and alert, wearing a broad-brimmed soft hat and a big, flowing bow tie, and peering with keen eyes through a pair of horn-rimmed glasses—Constable Cooley looks and acts the part of his official cognomen to perfection. The present incumbent who is canvassing for re-election as constable was a pleasant caller at "The Beach News" office early this week and it's safe to predict that the voters will give him solid support at the forthcoming primaries.

THE PASSING OF JOE PAIZ

Announcement is made of the demise at Mission Beach, Calif., July 4, of Joe Paiz, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Paiz, and brother of Herlinda and Lupe Paiz and Mrs. Lolo Manano, all of this city; a native of Texas, aged 18 years 6 months 9 days.

COUNTY CLINIC  
MOVES FROM COURTHOUSE  
TO GENERAL HOSPITAL

The county clinic, now in a wing of the courthouse, is to be moved in the near future to the county general hospital, the board of supervisors decided this week on recommendation of Dr. Stevenson, head of the county's medical department. This change will result in greater efficiency in the clinic work and will relieve to some extent the congestion in the courthouse.

P. L. Spears and friends from San Diego, spent the Fourth at 801 Whiting Court.

PERFECT WEATHER AND  
WHOLESOME AMUSEMENTS  
ENJOYED BY THROGS

Characteristic ideal weather was enjoyed by thousands upon thousands of visitors to the beach districts of San Diego during the Fourth of July holidays. All records for attendance were broken at the Mission Beach Amusement Center and transportation

### "Hands Across The Inlet"

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HIGHWAY SIGNS

Continued report from last week of the proceedings of the Mission Beach Chamber of Commerce at the regular June meeting.

The matter of direction signs on the highway was also discussed. The absence of the name of Mission Beach on the signs of the Automobile Club of Southern California on the highway leading from the north has been called in the past to the attention of Hal Hobson, local manager of the club. Al Lamba will take the matter up with Mr. Hobson again, endeavoring to have the name of Mission Beach appear on more of the signs.

It is believed that motorists would prefer the ocean and scenic route through Mission Beach, Ocean Beach, Point Loma, La Playa, Marine Base, etc., if they were sure it would lead to San Diego without deviation. A committee with J. A. Harris as chairman was appointed to place attractive location signs at either end of Mission Beach and the approaches thereto.

DISPOSAL OF RUBBISH

The matter of the sanitary disposal of trash and rubbish was also brought up. The garbage is being fairly adequately dealt with by the city, whose trucks pick up same on Monday and Thursday mornings. The trucks come very early and it is necessary to set out containers the night before to assure collection. The disposal of rubbish, however, is a more difficult problem, because of its great quantity, and as there is apparently no system at all regarding time of collection. The corners where same is dumped become unsightly heaps of trash. Some of the residents have taken the matter into their hands by burning the loose trash, but the fire hazard is deemed too great to permit of this. It was suggested that incinerators be placed at stated intervals throughout the beach. A committee of three, with Eugene Paynter as chairman, was appointed to investigate ways and means of dealing with this problem which is one of the most pressing at the present moment.

The committee through the chambers of Commerce of the older established beaches in the northern part of Southern California is investigating the various kinds of incinerators that are being used, the kind, metal or cement, that best withstands the constant action of oxidation (corrosion) from the salty humidity of the sea air, the number of cottages that one incinerator could accommodate, etc. This committee would welcome suggestions from those who have had personal experience along the above lines.

MISSION BOULEVARD  
MADE ONE-WAY STREET

Upon recommendation of Capt. Hill of the police department, the city council this week adopted a resolution making Mission boulevard a one-way street. This is a double street, and the right-hand side will be used for north bound traffic, the left for south bound. There will be no parking on this boulevard, and parallel parking will be required on one side of the street only.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Bowie and family from Morenci, Ariz., are spending the week on Salem Court.

facilities to the beaches were taxed to the limit. During the three-day jubilee the coast highway and routes from the city were crowded with a continuous procession of automobiles and parking space near the seashore was at a premium. The holiday season was enjoyed to the uttermost by home folks and visitors alike, and the orderliness of the throngs was especially noteworthy.

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CHURCH DECISION SERVICE

Sunday school will be held as usual at 9:30 a. m. in the west room of the school building on Santa Barbara Place. Next Sunday will be given over to a decision day service for those children who wish to be received as charter members of the church. There will be preaching services by Rev. D. T. Reed at 11 o'clock.

CHURCH WOMEN MEET

Last Wednesday afternoon the church women met with Mrs. Harry K. Turner at 702 Verona Court. This group of women will meet next Wednesday at 2 p. m. with Mrs. Lee Barnhill at 728 Queenstown Court. A devotional and missionary study will be the program for the afternoon.

DINNER DANCE

Capt. and Mrs. H. J. Hunker entertained at a dinner dance last Thursday evening at the Casino cafe, having as their guests Colonel and Mrs. Graham of Rockwell Field; Capt. and Mrs. Clarke of Fort Rosecrans; Lieut. Castor of Rockwell Field and Miss Ernestine Hunker.

DUTCH BEACH LUNCH

The employees of the Star Shoe company of San Diego, of which Joe Shyer, 817 Newport Court, is manager, entertained with a beach party last Wednesday evening. After a Dutch lunch on the beach the evening was spent in contests and games. Among those present were Miss Betty Butler, Miss Lucille Bowthwell of Fresno, Miss Leonora Costello, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Shyer, Richard Fure and Ray and Jay Bradley.

GIRL RESERVES AT BEACH

The Girl Reserves who enjoyed a stay at Shirley Cottage last week were Grace Watson, girl executive, Lela Caven, honor captain; Lois Martin, log editor; Edwina Boynton, Helen Wheeler and Ruth May Scribner, lieutenants; Georgia Harrison, Victoria Philibosian, Leanna McMath, Dorothy Sundt, Eleanor Marvel, Nettie MacWalter, Ethel Connolly, Vida Browning, Georgia Zehner, Beulah Finley, Fern Martin and Edna Shaver.

M. B. SOCIAL NOTES

Mrs. Joe Shyer of 817 Newport Court, has as her guest for the week, Miss Lucille Bowthwell of Fresno.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Smith and family of San Diego, are spending the week in the Van Dusen cottage on San Jose Place.

M. L. Dearborn and family of San Diego, spent last week-end at 3803 Ocean Front Walk.

Hal R. Hotchkiss and family of San Diego, are spending this week at 3801 Ocean Front Walk.

Roscoe Porter and family of San Diego, have taken the Fritts cottage on San Jose Place for several months.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Eckles and two daughters will make their home at 815 Ormond Court for the following year.

Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Maurer of Brawley, are spending the month of July on Vanatie Court.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Anthony and family of Hollywood, are spending their vacation at 826 Salem.

Col. and Mrs. S. B. Pearson, former residents of Mission Beach, have returned to this community from Three Rivers, Calif., where they have been sojourning for several months.

Kodak Finishing—Froide—Bacon St.  
AID TO BEAUTY



Under this young woman's skillful hands the front of the Administration Building of the Sesqui-Centennial International Exposition Association quickly takes on a delightful aspect. She directs gardeners where to place the small trees and shrubs about the great stucco building. She is doing her share to make the big celebration of the 150th anniversary of the signing of the Declaration of Independence a success.

DENTAL OFFICES

OPENED BY DR. W. F. BUSH

Equipped with modern dental chairs and appliances, dentistry offices have been opened in the Ocean Beach post-office building by Dr. W. F. Bush, with Dr. J. D. Partle as associate. Their office hours will be from 9 to 12 a. m. and from 1 to 5:30 p. m. Dr. Bush recently purchased a fine home on West Point Loma boulevard, and is a firm believer in the growth and prosperity of the beach districts.

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DUNAWAY BUILDING COSTLY

CONCRETE STORE STRUCTURE  
AT PACIFIC BEACH

A building permit has been obtained by S. W. Dunaway, Pacific Beach, per Jarboe Construction company, for a concrete store and office, 980 Garnet; lots 21-24, block 195, Pacific Beach, costing \$25,000.

POLICE NAB SIX IN  
BEACH AND BAY DISTRICTS  
FOR AUTO THEFTS

Five marines and a waitress are held in the city jail in connection with the theft of two automobiles Monday night. Sergt. George Churchman and Patrolman Frank Bowe of the Ocean Beach sub-station took four of the men to the central station. The car belongs to J. W. Hyde 943 Front street. Charges of grand larceny and operating an automobile without the consent of the owners were filed against the four, who gave their names as John W. Watkins, 18; Herbert Henshaw, 17; Elmer C. Hanson, 18, and Waldron C. Jensen, 17.

While returning to his home in San Diego early last Tuesday morning, Patrolman Bowe said he saw an automobile standing at the marine base and went to investigate. In it he says he found T. W. Maxwell, 19, a marine, and Helen Lowry, 19, a waitress. Police say the machine was stolen Saturday night from H. Rose, 3044 Granada street. Charges similar to those against the four were preferred.

Upon arraignment last Wednesday, the four marines (Jensen, Watkins, Henshaw and Hansen) were bound over for preliminary hearing next Monday, under \$500 bail each.

Mrs. Ann Bunting, the well known radio artist of San Diego, and children are spending the month of July at 717 Santa Clara.

### SUMMER SCREEN AND STAGE BILLS

FINE FILM FEATURES

FORM CURRENT BOOKINGS AT  
GRANADA THEATER, LA JOLLA

Peter B. Kyne's "The Enchanted Hill," which features Jack Holt, with Florence Vidon, supported by a stellar cast headed by Mary Brian and Noah Beery, is the offering for this Saturday, both matinee and night, at the Granada theater, La Jolla. "The Enchanted Hill" is Kyne's latest novel and by many considered his best. Irvin Willat, the director of "North of 36," directed the picture which is a Paramount production. A comedy, sportlight and review will also be shown.

Percy Marmont, at present a La Jolla, comes to the Granada screen on Sunday and Monday, in Joseph Conrad's "Lord Jim," a tale of life and strife and love on a romantic South Sea Island. Raymond Hatton and Noah Beery appear in the supporting cast, and Victor Fleming directed. "Nature's Garlands," a novelty in color, the International News reel and a Buster Brown comedy will also be shown.

America's turbulent southwestern border during the closing years of the nineteenth century is brought to the screen as never before in "Desert Gold." Zane Grey's romance drama which holds the screen at the Granada theatre Tuesday and Wednesday. Neil Hamilton, Shirley Mason and Robert Frazer are the featured players. The picture was filmed on the edge of the Painted Desert, and is replete with the scenic splendor described by the author in his novel. A Mazie comedy and a fable also appear on the program.

On Thursday and Friday, "The Rainmaker," a racing story complete with thrills and novelty in its characterizations and the manipulations of its scenes will be shown. "The Rainmaker" is the picturization of Gerald Beaumont's famous racing story, "Heavenbent." Buster Collier, Jr., Georgia Hale, the dance hall girl of Chaplin's "Gold Rush" and Ernest Torrence are the featured players. A Twisted Tale, a scenic and a news reel are the added features.

BALBOA THEATER

In line with the policy adopted by Balboa Theatre to present screen and stage productions that are reasonable and entertaining, during the summer months, another farce comedy of the light, fast-flying type, will be offered for Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, in "Let's Get Married," with Richard Dix in the title role. In conjunction with the screen feature, Fanchon and Marco present "Night Club Ideas," the latest craze for a different kind of entertainment. Rudy Danello, tenor, is featured singing a song written and dedicated to Luther Burbank, entitled "Lay My Head Beneath A Rose." Eunice Healey is a little girl that does some very clever acrobatic and toe dance numbers. A hick comedy dance with Mac Johnson, and a little fellow who is known as Tommy Wonder, also does a dance with a dummy.

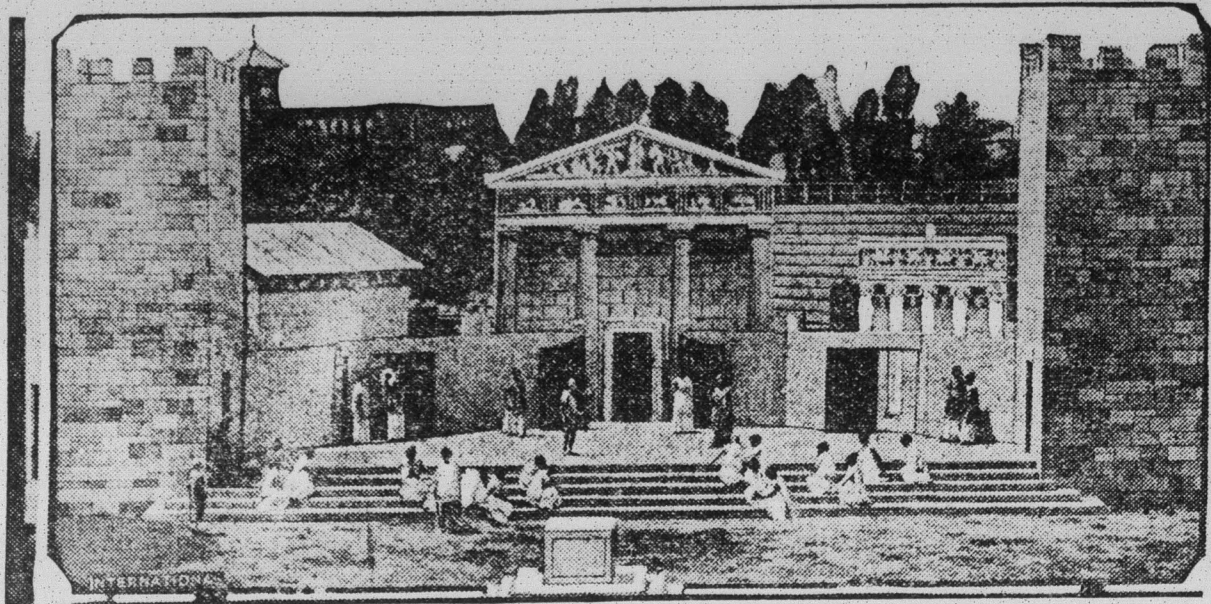
A different reel of West Coast Pictorial News Events is shown twice each week. The Balboa Weekly Film of local events is a popular addition to the program. Comedies, short subject and special innovations round out these entertaining programs. "The Radio Detective," a chapter play in ten parts is being shown weekly. The story is based upon scientific inventions and received the indorsement of the Boy Scouts of America. "The Radio Detective," is shown Wednesday, Thursday, Friday at 4 o'clock, and Saturday at 1:30 and 4 P. M. The Junior Matinee at 12:30 Saturday afternoons continue to be popular with parent and children. Every week the children whose birthdays occur on Saturday are presented with a birthday gift by Manager H. L. Hartman.

Comedy will still hold sway at Balboa Theatre for the latter half of the week. A choice offering of seasonal entertainment has been wisely selected, including screen and stage pre-

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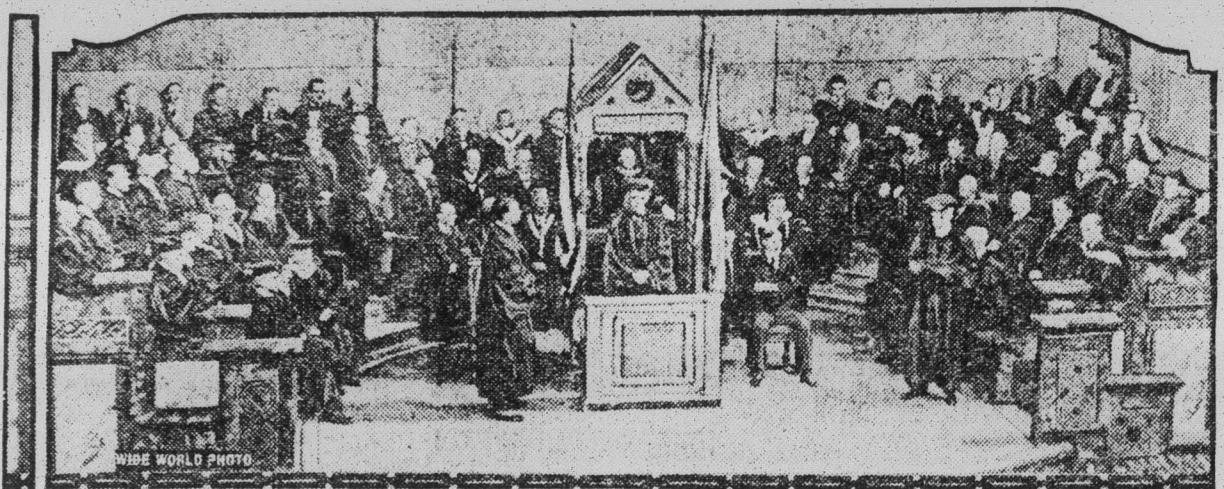


## "Hecuba" of Euripides Played by Holy Cross Boys



Students of Holy Cross college at Worcester, Mass., gave a fine production of "Hecuba," tragedy by Euripides. The illustration shows the play in progress in the beautiful Greek theater.

## Crown Prince of Sweden Gets Princeton Degree



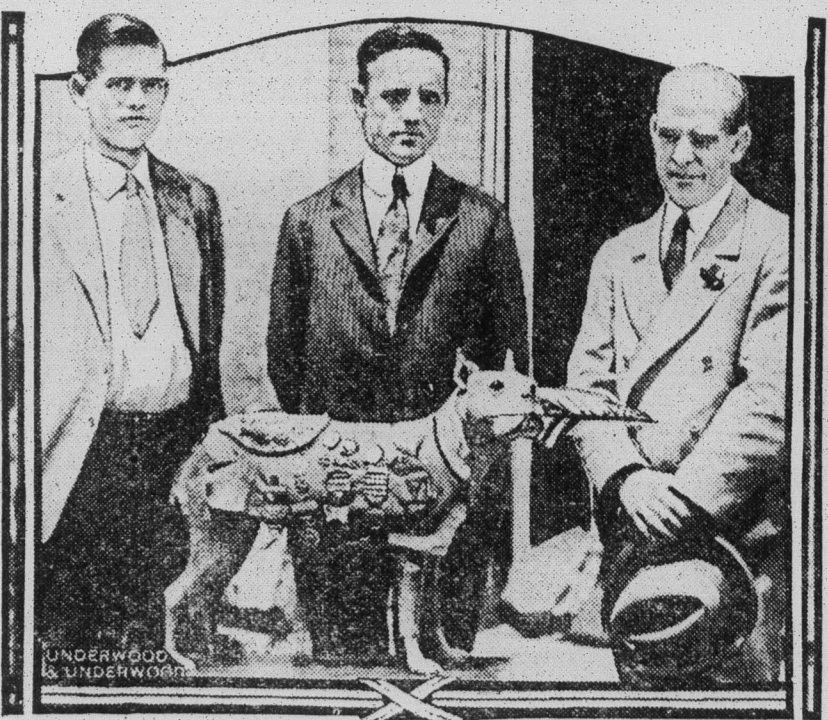
Crown Prince Gustavus Adolphus of Sweden receiving the degree of doctor of laws at Princeton university in recognition of his archeological research and studies.

## Princeton Is to Have a New Quadrangle



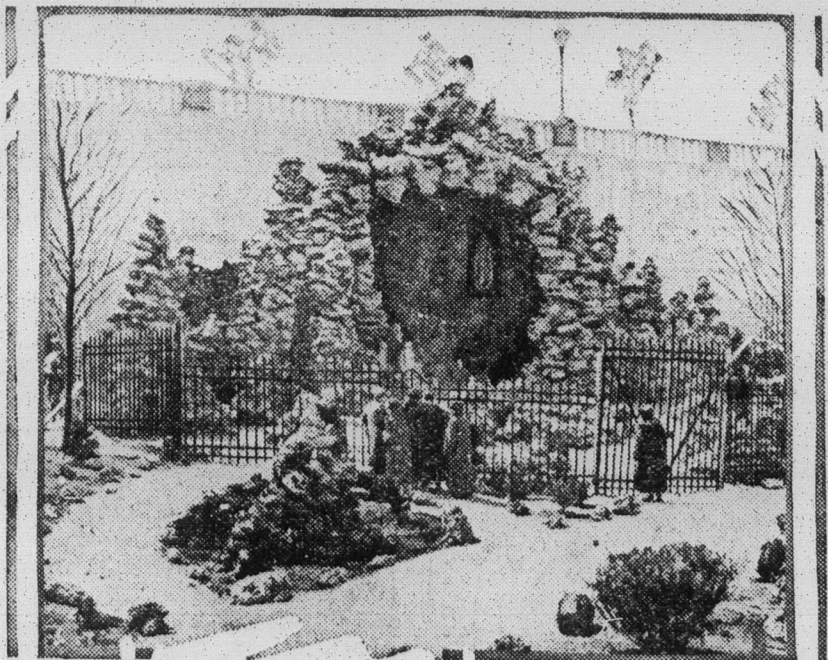
Princeton university has just announced plans for a new group of buildings as a center for undergraduate life. It will form a quadrangle at Prospect avenue and Washington road and will include a university club, a theater, offices for the athletic association and a building in which undergraduate activities will be centered. Above is the architects' sketch of the Washington road facade of the quadrangle.

## "Stubby" Is His Own Monument



"Stubby," mascot of the A. E. F., dog hero of the World war and the most benedicted and bedecked dog in all dogdom, has just been mounted as a monument to his own bravery, after his death. "Stubby" was reincarnated in plaster and his hide mounted over the cast. In the cast itself is a metal box containing "Stubby's" ashes.

## Lourdes Grotto at Mundelein



Among the attractive features at Mundelein, suburb of Chicago, for the Eucharistic congress is this reproduction of the famous Grotto of Lourdes.

## GIVEN JOLIET POST



As one result of the Illinois "pardon bill" scandal and of recent murders and escapes at the state penitentiary at Joliet. The governor has removed Warden John L. Whitman, a veteran penologist, and appointed Elmer J. Green, whose portrait is given here-with.

## AUGUSTO TURATI



Augusto Turati, a deputy in the Italian parliament, is the new general secretary of the Fascist party.

## CALIFORNIA NEWS BRIEFS

William D. Frazier of Watsonville, 80-year-old retired rancher has just celebrated the sixtieth anniversary of his arrival in Watsonville. Frazier is blind. Otherwise he is as active and his mind is as keen as it was a half century ago. He came to San Jose by railroad, that being the terminus in 1866, and came into Watsonville by stage over Mt. Madonna. He found Watsonville a rough and ready village of between 400 and 500 persons.

Approximately 193,600,000 feet of timber in the Fandango logging unit of the Warner mountains, Modoc National Forest, have been sold to a lumber company in Denver. It was announced recently by Stuart B. Shaw, chief of the California district, United States Forest Bureau. The timber consists of approximately 74 per cent pine, for which the successful bidder offered \$3.165 per thousand feet and 50 cents additional per thousand feet of fir, cedar and other species.

The proud boast of Dr. Herman N. Bundesen, Chicago city health commissioner, over the low mortality rate among young married men in the Illinois metropolis received something of a set-back recently when L. E. Ross, director of the State Bureau of Vital Statistics, at Sacramento announced that from the standpoint of longevity the average Californian, married or single, puts Dr. Bundesen's wedded Chicagoans completely out of the running. Holding that marriage makes for long life, Dr. Bundesen announced that "out of every 1,000 Chicago men from 25 to 34, those who die include 15 who are divorced, 5 who are single and 4 who are married. But, objects Ross, out of every 1,000 men of corresponding age in California, there are only 7 deaths annually, regardless of marital condition. The mortality score at the end of the year stands: Chicago, 24 deaths; California, 7 deaths.

There is gold excitement in the Camp Meeker section of Sonoma county. It was revealed that gold in paying quantities had been unearthed in a ledge on land back in the hills recently purchased by Mrs. F. S. Morgan of San Francisco and a tunnel is being built to thoroughly expose the deposit and plans for gold mining are in progress. It was stated that old-time mining prospectors, discovered the gold last April, but the discovery has been kept a secret until now.

High temperature, high wind and low humidity, forest fire weather, settled down on the northern part of the state recently and resulted in five costly timber and brush fires, the worst and most threatening sweeping through thousands of acres of wood and pasture land along the California-Oregon line in Siskiyou county. Reports to the United States Forest Service office in Sacramento recently described the Siskiyou county fire as one of the worst in years.

Sixteen students of the Division of Forestry at the University of California are now in attendance at the Summer camp maintained by the university at Meadow valley in Plumas county. Here for the next twelve weeks the students will receive practical training in measurement of tree growth, estimating of timber stands, making timberland maps, locating logging railroads and such other items as will fit them to become managers of forest lands.

Ranchers from all sections of Sutter county and many residents of Yuba City, and Marysville drove to the ranch of A. W. Goetz, near Oswald, to view a Shetland pony born there. The pony, weighing only 12 pounds is said to be the smallest of the equine family ever born in Sutter county. Despite the fact that it is smaller than the average dog, the little horse is unusually lively, while a veterinarian declared the animal is perfectly sound.

A pair of leather puttees saved Claude L. Hubbard of Oakland, from being bitten by a rattlesnake. While driving out of Yosemite, unaccompanied, Hubbard stopped to inspect his tires, and while standing by the car, felt something hit his leg. He killed the snake, and then found two great scars in the leather of the puttee, an inch and a half long and an inch apart.

Believe it or not, there are no fish in California so hungry as the catfish of the Sacramento River. Walter Getchel of Sacramento, at a single cast of his angling line, has proved this by catching two of them on one hook. He claims the hook passed through the gills of one victim and truded sufficiently beyond to catch the second fish in the side of the head.

Southern California is winning an enviable reputation as a fur-production center, according to reports from Walnut Acre farms, in the western San Fernando valley. More than 200 rabbits are soon to be established in new homes at Walnut Acre farms, principally Chinchillas, imported directly from England.

The Durham State Land Settlement Colony, near Chico, now boasts 151 settlers and is proving a definite financial success, according to a report filed in Sacramento. Settlers have already devoted 500 acres to fruit in addition to larger areas planted to other crops. They have invested \$812,879.98 in land.

A new California institution of higher learning, the Scripps College for Women, was incorporated at the office of Secretary of State Frank C. Jordan, and announced it will begin operations at Claremont, Los Angeles county.

The 1927 convention of state and municipal purchasing agents will be held in Sacramento.

An effort is being made to establish a company of United States Marine reserves in Marysville.

The contract for the new \$350,000 Elks' club in Santa Monica has been awarded and work will start immediately.

August 1 should see the new \$100,000 plant being built by the Golden State Milk Products company in operation at Merced.

The canning plant of the United States Products Corporation, at San Jose, was destroyed by fire recently with a loss estimated at \$25,000.

At the present time approximately 10,500 voters of Butte county have registered for the August primaries. Of this number nearly one-half are registered from Chico.

Ground has been broken for the erection of two new hotel buildings in Brawley, Imperial county, that provide a total of 194 guest rooms and cost the builders over \$400,000.

Work is under way on the \$15,000 wing to the A. K. Smiley library, at Redlands, which is to provide more room for files, for cataloging, a room for assemblies and so on.

The Imperial valley pure seed association has been formed with Scott B. Foulds, Jasper, president; Henry Wood, Holtville, vice-president, and J. R. Snyder, Holtville, secretary.

Lindsay now has a population of 3,500, an increase of 167 since the last directory was made, state publishers of a San Joaquin valley directory who have just completed a new census of the city.

The new plant of the Riverdale-San Joaquin creamery at San Joaquin has just been completed at a cost of \$75,000 and is being operated in conjunction with the big co-operative creamery at Riverdale.

With 1926 building permits to date already exceeding those for the like period of 1925 by approximately \$200,000 Ontario, San Bernardino county, promises to break all former annual construction records.

Red Bluff is already making plans for a big reception to be tendered to delegates to the State American Legion convention as they pass through the city on their way to Yreka, the meeting place, in August.

Two thousand dollars was appropriated by the board of supervisors of Yolo county, as a fund to establish and maintain a competitive booth and display in the 1926 California State Fair to be held at Sacramento.

The annual convention of the California Association of Mercantile Agencies, will meet in Petaluma on July 23, 24 and 25. It is expected that 200 delegates will be entertained. Practically all the cities in the state will be represented.

Formal dedication of the monument erected to the memory of General E. R. S. Canby and other officers and men who perished in the Modoc Indian War of 1872-73 took place on the old battlefield in the Modoc Lava Beds near Alturas, recently.

The Dinuba Grape growers association is one of the strong and ably conducted co-operative fruit handling institutions of the Alta District. It is co-operatively owned and conducted by growers of the Dinuba district, and all profits go to the growers.

Plans have been drawn for the erection of a 100x55 foot addition to the grammar school at Dixon, Solano county, to provide needed room. The addition will consist in the main of an auditorium and stage suitable for class and winter play purposes.

The Lindsay-Strathmore Irrigation district has hung up an offer of a reward of \$1,000 for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the person or persons who dynamited the Lindsay-Strathmore pipe line on the Ranch De Kaweah a short time ago.

58-pound bass, said to be the largest fish caught in the Russian river during recent years, was landed at Duncan Mills, by Bob Kelly of Monte Rio. While Kelly was struggling to land the big fish, Newt Kerr, who was fishing near by, hooked a 30-pounder.

Woodmen of the World from Oakdale, Stockton and Turlock demonstrated that they were real "woodmen" when they built a house for one of their sick brothers in less than a day. The four-room cottage was built for E. L. Shaw, on his ranch just outside of Ripon, San Joaquin county, and it was completed within less than eight hours. About forty of the Woodmen assisted in the construction work, and built the cottage from the ground up.

Declaring their willingness to spend \$100,000, if necessary, to thoroughly test the territory into which they have entered on their own initiative and upon their own geologists' reports, Signal Hill oil operators with Long Beach capital are moving machinery and a crew of fifteen men upon the property of the Neame Oil company, seven miles north of Visalia, prepared to begin operations within a short time and to go to 5,000 feet, if necessary, utilizing the existing 1,800-foot hole which stands cemented off.

According to reports, cantaloupes in the Turlock Irrigation district are in advance of the crop at this time last year. The cantaloupes planted and above the ground before the April rains have made wonderful progress and growth. The fields cultivated and replanted after the storms are showing good stands but are not advancing as fast as the other fields. Watermelons, casabas and honeydews are making a splendid showing, especially the watermelons. The present estimate of the crop is that it is in 25 per cent better condition than last year.

## AFRICAN NATIVE BAPTIZES SCORE, THEN KILLS THEM

### Receives Pay for Slaying Men and Women Hated by Chieftains.

Livingston, Northern Rhodesia.—Because he baptized more than a score of men and women—and then drowned them so they would not return to sinful ways—Tomo Njendara, a native, has been hanged by British authorities in Northern Rhodesia. Two other men were executed with Tomo. They were native chieftains who were convicted of bribing Tomo to include their personal enemies among his "converts."

Studied at Baptist Mission. Tomo was a student in a Baptist mission before he began his series of crimes. He was especially attracted by the ceremony of baptism, finally deciding to go among the native tribes to immerse the people in the rivers and creeks of the country.

Tomo met Chief Shaiwila, head of a strong tribe, who suspected enemies of bewitching him, making him blind in one eye, and his wife, keeping her from having children. Shaiwila sug-



Drowned Each One of Them.

gested to Tomo that his baptism, did no good, since natives returned to their sins speedily. He hinted that if Tomo should drown his converts they would go to heaven at once.

Killed Score of Persons. So Tomo and the chief arranged the baptism of 20 persons, all of them enemies of the latter. Tomo drowned each of them.

Tomo then began a tour of the country, and it later was charged that he drowned many men and women for their native chieftains.

Finally the son of one of Tomo's victims told the British authorities of the fatal ceremonies. A troop of soldiers chased Tomo for a week before they captured him.

Tomo confessed the murders when he was tried and also admitted that he had received pay for many of them. So the following day he was hanged.

## Miner's Dog Turns on Cougar, Saves His Life

Tacoma, Wash.—If hero medals were given to dumb animals, Henry B. Spencer of Tacoma would apply for one for Rex, his nine-months-old bird dog. Mr. Spencer credits his life to the dog, which proved his bravery in a hand-to-hand fight with a mother cougar and her three cubs. Mr. Spencer, who is mining in the Olympic mountains, was suddenly confronted with the animals. He was unarmed and the beasts showed fight. Spencer threw rocks at the mother cougar, but in doing so he lost his balance and fell.

Before the enraged cougar could spring, Rex appeared and attacked one of the cubs. This distracted the mother, who turned on the dog. Spencer was able to retreat. The dog came through with only minor injuries.

## Flying Foxes Worry Town

Yeppoon, C. Q.—A colony of flying foxes, near at hand in the scrub that grows in a dense mass on the side of a mountain, is one of the things that the people at Yeppoon (Central Queensland) have to worry about. Frequently at nightfall the flying foxes rise and fly over the township, completely obscuring the sky, according to the residents there. There are thousands of the flyers in the air at once. Yet it is none of these facts that annoy the residents so much as the peculiarly disagreeable smell of the beasts.

## Falls Into Well

St. Paul, Minn.—Eighteen-months-old Thomas Weischer fell thirty feet down an open, dry well here, struck a ledge of concrete, rolled off and fell another twenty feet to the bottom of the shaft and escaped with only a slight scalp wound and a cut chin.



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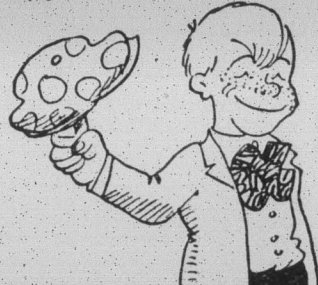
## Along the Concrete



## MICKIE, THE PRINTER'S DEVIL

## All the News

OSCAR SCRIMSHAW, OUR TOWN COP, CAUGHT TH' STATE HIGHWAY MOTOR-CYCLE COP TURNIN' AROUND IN TH' MIDDLE OF A BLOCK AN' WHEN OSCAR HAD SAID HIS SAY, ALL TH' LOCAL MOTORISTS WHO HAVE BEEN INSULTED BY TH' STATE COP TH' LAST THREE YEARS WERE AVENGED



GABE KOLB IS GETTIN' A REPUTATION FOR BEING QUEER - SEVERAL POLICE WILL VOUCH THAT HE HAS SAID ON DIFFERENT OCCASIONS THAT HE DIDN'T THINK HIS YOUNG SON WAS ANY BRIGHTER THAN TH' AVERAGE KID HIS AGE



RUFUS SHOOT, ARRESTED FOR DRIVIN' A CAR WHILE HOOCHED UP, OFFERED AN INGENIOUS DEFENSE WHICH PROMISES TO BE POPULAR. OSCAR ALLEGES THAT HE HAD ALCOHOL IN TH' RADIATOR OF HIS CAR, AN' THAT TH' FLAMES OVERCAME HIM WHEN TH' RADIATOR BECAME HOT



BOB PORGENSEE GETS HIS WIFE'S SISTER IS SO HOMEY THAT WHENEVER SHE GETS A TIRE DOWN, SHE STARTS AT ONCE FOR TH' NEAREST FARMHOUSE TO PHONE A GARAGE FOR HELP

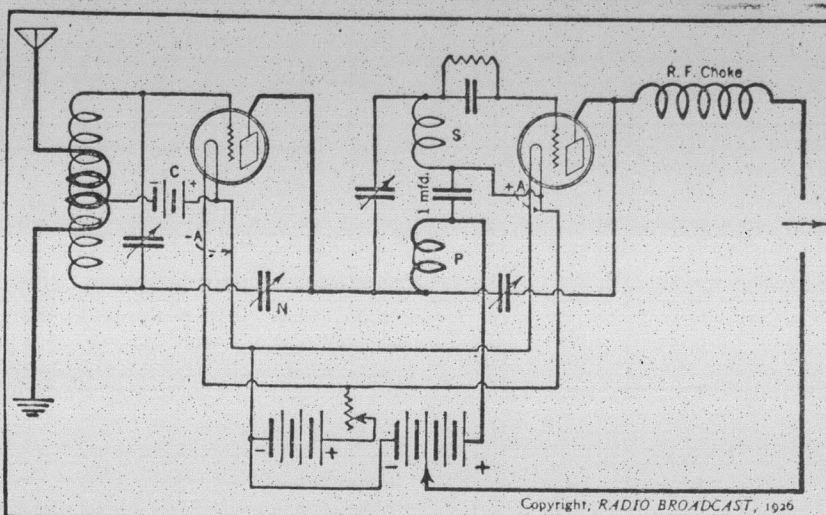


## THE FEATHERHEADS

## Just an Ordinary Fish



## RADIO



Circuit Specially Developed for Use With a Toroid Coil as Radio Frequency Coupling Device.

We have seen and heard a great deal about the toroid coil during the last few months, and much space has been devoted to the publication of data for the inclusion of these coils in already existing circuits. Few writers have gone to the trouble of describing circuits which have been especially designed to make use of the toroid inductance, however. The Radio Broadcast Magazine's "Lab." circuit is one of the few examples where special attention has been paid to this matter. A series of articles on the "Lab." circuit appears in the Radio Broadcast Magazine, from the pen of Keith Henney, the director of the laboratory of that publication. "The great advantage of the toroid coil," he says, "lies in its restricted field. This means that energy from the coil is not likely to expand about the coil itself and interlink with other fields, and by the same token it is difficult to get energy into the coil. For this reason a circuit in the neighborhood of powerful broadcasters is not so likely to be disturbed by local signals except those arriving at the receiver through the proper means—the antenna. The fact that the field is restricted indicates that the coils may be placed closer to metal end plates of condensers, closer to wires carrying radio frequency currents of wrong phases, and even closer to each other without the many troubles incident to interstage coupling.

### "C" Battery One of Most Valuable Accessories

The "C" battery is very often disregarded in wiring up radio receivers. Whenever this is done one of the most important parts of the entire receiver is omitted. Its true worth in the circuit is not generally appreciated, but the fact is that the "C" battery pays a greater dividend in money saved and satisfaction given than any other accessory or part of the receiving system. It increases the operating life of the "B" battery. It increases the amplification of each tube in the circuit, it makes possible the use of higher plate voltage, it increases the load-carrying capacity of the tubes, it greatly reduces distortion from overloading, and it improves the quality of the output of the receiver. And all these things the little "C" battery accomplishes without itself furnishing any appreciable current, so that all are practically obtained without cost.

From an economical point of view the greatest gain derived through the use of a "C" battery is in the increased life of the "B" battery. For the higher values of plate voltage and with the proper adjustment of the "C" battery voltage, the useful life of the "B" battery is practically doubled. Even with the increased life of the latter a little "C" battery will outlive several sets of "B" batteries. But suppose that it will outlive only two sets of them. Then during the life of the "C" battery two sets of "B" batteries will have been saved. The cost of these saved "B" batteries might have been \$12, whereas the cost of the "C" battery which effected this saving might have been only 75 cents, a saving of \$11.25. Hence, from this point of view alone it is decidedly worth while to include the "C" battery in the receiver.

But this is not the only advantage. The greater amplification per tube will make the set more sensitive and will bring in more stations, and the increase in the load-carrying capacity of the tubes will give more volume without introducing noticeable distortion. The latter gain results in greatly improved quality of the output, and this is one of the most important advantages of using a "C" battery. Without the "C" battery the tubes will overload quickly and result in harsh quality in the loud speaker; with a correctly adjusted "C" battery and a sufficiently high plate voltage loud speaker volume of pure quality may be obtained.—New York Herald-Tribune.

In the formula  $N$  is the turn ratio, while  $R_p$  is the plate impedance. The plate impedances of various tubes, with 90 volts on the plate and a negative 4.5-volt bias on the grid, are as follows:

Type	Impedance	Turn Ratio
12	18,000	1.75
199	22,400	1.57
201-A	13,000	2.00
112	6,000	3.00
High-mu	30,000	1.35

(90 volts B, 1 volt C)

#### Not a Difficult Operation.

Neutralization in the Radio Broadcast "Lab." circuit is accomplished by the Klee method, and this is not a difficult operation if due care is exercised. It is best for the fan who intends seriously experimenting with the "Lab." circuit to start with a type 199 tube, for this latter will be found easier to neutralize than the 201-A type. Those fans who have tried a 201-A in the Browning-Drake will readily agree on this point.

By reference to the circuit diagram it will be noted that the secondary coil of the antenna tuning circuit has a center tap. It is important that the tap be taken more or less exactly at the center turn, otherwise trouble will be encountered in the neutralization process.

The size of the various tuning condensers employed depends on the coils used. The standard coils usually take

#### Field Mouse Gray

Many women are desperately afraid of a mouse, but the most popular hosiery and foot coverings now are being worn in field mouse gray. Smoke gray, a light shade, also is being extensively demanded.

#### For Rainy Days

A coat of soft rubberized silk in a shade of red or green is ideal for the schoolgirl. If she desires, she may choose a hat of the same material.

#### Tiny Coats of Black Satin

The very small person of three years wears a coat of black satin over a peasant frock of light-colored crepe de chine and completes the costume with a beret or poke bonnet, also, of black satin.

#### Transparent Shawls

Large squares of dotted net in pastel colors bordered with double hems of matching chiffon are in keeping with the vogue of shawls.

## ATWATER KENT IGNITION for Fords

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Lead has been transmuted into mercury by experiments conducted at Amsterdam by Professor Smits. The controversy over changing mercury into gold is still raging, but the lead-mercury transmutation seems to have been definitely accomplished.

Watch Cuticura Improve Your Skin. On rising and retiring gently smear the face with Cuticura Ointment. Wash off Ointment in five minutes with Cuticura Soap and hot water. It is wonderful what Cuticura will do for poor complexions, dandruff, itching and red, rough hands.—Advertisement.

### Footbridge for Tourists

Parts of the Grand canyon that otherwise would be inaccessible to travelers are easily reached by means of a narrow suspension bridge hung between the cliffs of the deep chasm. It is securely anchored and high enough above the water to be out of danger in flood times. The passage is designed to accommodate pedestrians, horses and burros, and is reached by one of the trails leading from the top.—Popular Mechanics Magazine.

Eye infection and inflammation are healed overnight by using Roman Eye Balsam. Ask your druggist for 35-cent jar or send to 312 Pearl St., N. Y. Adv.

### And Not Jones

Black—That Jones boy has his father's honesty. White—Well, I always thought somebody had it.—Answers.

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## THE BASIC TROUBLE WITH AMERICAN AGRICULTURE

Many Mythical Causes Given But the Chief Financial Problem Rises From Inflation of Capital Account  
Based on War Prices—Remedy Pointed Out—  
"Trick Legislation" Will Not Help.

By MELVIN A. TRAYLOR  
First Vice President American Bankers Association.



M. A. Traylor

IN recent years agriculture and the welfare of the farmer have been our most fruitful topics of conversation. Political fortunes have revolved around the unhappy situation of the farmer and the business barometer has gone up and down with varying proposals for his relief. Only a few years ago there was widespread feeling voiced by the leading agriculturists that the time was fast approaching when America would not be able to feed its rapidly increasing population unless there was improvement in soil culture, fertilization, reforestation and larger production. What is the situation now? The worry seems no longer to be for food for the hungry millions but for more millions to consume our tons of food.

Evangelists of despair have talked so much about over-production and surplus of agricultural products since 1920 that we are warranted in calling attention to a fact or two which may be enlightening to those who have felt that there has been a crushing surplus of the staples of the farm. From 1911 to 1915 average production of cotton was 14,175,000 bales at an average price of 12.41 cents per pound, while from 1921 to 1925 production averaged 13,362,000 bales at an average price of 21.85 cents per pound. In the 1911-1915 period wheat production averaged 806,358,000 bushels at an average price of 89 cents, while in 1921-1925 the average production was 804,334,000 bushels at a \$1.11½ average. In the former period corn averaged 2,754,000,000 bushels at 60.3 cents while in the latter the average was 2,873,000,000 at 69.6 cents. Cattle on farms for 1911-1915 were 37,173,000 at an average estimated price of \$26.52 while in the latter period the annual average was 41,616,000 at \$26.03. Hogs on farms in the first period were 63,151,000 at an average price of \$9.58 per head, and in the latter 60,418,000 at \$11.34.

The Surplus Production Myth  
From these figures, which eliminate the period that embraced the war and the early post-war inflation, it will be observed that, with the exception of cotton and cattle, production has been almost uniform in the two periods. In no case has production anywhere approached an increase commensurate with the increase in population. So-called surplus production is largely a myth and the cause of the farmer's complaint must be looked for in some other direction. It must be admitted that all has not been and is not well with this industry. After all, what is the matter with agriculture? There are a few facts which seem obvious as a part at least of the underlying causes of the situation and which suggest something of the remedy that sooner or later must be applied.

Present difficulties had their inception largely in inflation of prices for agricultural products from 1915 to 1920 with consequent large expansion of profits. This led inevitably with the farmer as with the manufacturer to expansion of plant and equipment—the acquisition by the individual of larger acreage and modern, if not always efficient, machinery. These statements do not apply to every one because there are always some who play safely and conservatively, proved by the fact that there are millions of farmers who have gone through the recent crisis without any difficulty and are today prosperous and contented. In fact the complaints today are coming from less than 25 per cent of the farmers of the country and from the hordes of politicians who are seeking to make capital out of the situation.

Results of Inflation and Expansion  
With the average and with the majority of those who were swept off their feet by the wave of prosperity through which they were passing, let us analyze the results of this inflation and expansion. The farmer, operating on land that he was carrying in his capital account at a value of, say, \$100 per acre, and who perhaps had a loan of \$50 an acre, suddenly found that, because of the increased profits from his operations, his land had a market value of \$200 per acre and that, if he had a new tractor and some new farm machinery, he could greatly increase his production. But if he did that he would need a larger barn and more warehouse facilities. The chances are that with an appraisal of \$200 per acre on his land he increased his loan to \$100 per acre, thereby doubling his capital account and his bonded debt—not out of earnings but because of his ability to effect a "clean write-up" of 100 per cent of his plant account.

If he did not effect the doubling of his capital account in this manner, and if his \$100 acre farm was clear, he probably bought his neighbor's farm for \$200 per acre and mortgaged both the new and the old for \$100 per acre. In this latter case, he increased his capital account 150 per cent. It is easy to see what this did to his net percentage of income. If he had been able to make 6 per cent on his original investment, without any allowance for the increased cost of operations which of course did take place, he cut his net income, based upon his capitalization, about one-half when he had completed his expansion program. But worse than that happened. His calculations had been made upon a price for his product which reflected wartime demand and buying power of government money which were suddenly curtailed. With

demand gone and buying power withdrawn he found his gross selling price cut in two. His gross at the high figure had enabled him to make 3 per cent net on his new capitalization. This now was cut one-half by the reduction of his gross selling price and instead of making a 6 per cent return, as he was able to do perhaps on his original \$100 acre farm, he has since been lucky if he has made 1½ per cent on his new capital account.

The Remedy  
I am confident that something of this kind underlies 75 per cent of the present difficulty. How can it be remedied? I believe that time and intelligent hard work is the surest restorative of better conditions. No magic of trick legislation can accomplish the result. There are a few facts which must be faced and accepted before a start to better things can be made. The first and most important is recognition that farming never was, is not now, and I do not believe ever will be a so-called money-making proposition. By this I mean a business in which a man may engage with the certainty of being able over a period of years from the production and sale of farm commodities to accumulate great wealth.

There are those who will say that unless farming can be made a successful money-making proposition there is no hope for the future of the country. My argument with such people will turn on the correct definition of what is a satisfactory money-making business. I believe that if farming is intelligently and industriously followed it is a satisfactory business but I do not believe that it is sufficiently a money-making proposition to attract those who are ambitious to play for big fortunes.

There are those also who say that many men have grown rich in the past in agriculture. I do not think they have from the mere production and sale of farm commodities. The men who have grown rich in the past from agriculture have owed their success most largely to the ownership of what would now be considered very cheap lands, which over a period of years have shown quadruple and more appreciation in value.

The Advantages of Farm Life  
But if agriculture does not mean great wealth, and it certainly does not involve a life of idleness, ease, or luxury, it does mean much more. It means if intelligently and industriously followed a character of independence vouchsafed to no other trade or profession. How do I know this? I know it by experience and I know it by observation. The farmers of today have more good, wholesome food than any man working on a salary of \$2,500 per year can buy for his family and be able to pay his grocery bill without paying any other of his debts. The farmers who are complaining of their inability to make money enough to pay for their necessities of life are enjoying at home as a natural heritage of their business comforts and luxuries which the man in the industrial centers working for a salary is spending every dollar of his income to obtain and then is not getting anything commensurate with those enjoyed by the farmer.

It is these so-called unneeded items of the farmer's income that are too often lost sight of in the calculations made by our reformer friends who would legislate a living wage and universal prosperity to those engaged in agriculture. If the farmer as a whole would be happy again he must take stock of his blessings and thank God for them, get rid of his quack doctors of political bunkum, revalue his plant and equipment, and start over again in full knowledge of the fact that he must face keen and effective competition, that he must work hard and intelligently, that he must calculate in his income inherent and undeniable items, which are not measured in dollars and cents.

When he does this, I feel perfectly certain that over a period of years, taking the good and the bad as it comes to all classes of business, he will find that he has lived well, that he has had a fair margin for the enjoyment of all the necessities of life and a surplus for those luxuries which he has a right to claim, and above all, that he will have had a chance to be an independent individual, a real man and a self-respecting citizen.

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Young people's meeting, 6:45 p. m.  
Song service at 7:45 p. m. Rev. A. F. Newcomb of the California Anti-Saloon League, will be the speaker of the evening. Subject, "The Last Challenge to the Constitution."  
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## EDITORIAL

### VOTING IS OUTLAWED

A western state has just published a book of its election laws and regulations. It takes 295 pages of fine print, which few ever read.

There are so many laws and regulations governing registration and voting, that half the citizens do not know whether they are entitled to go to the polls or not, or whether they can vote after they get there. Result, fewer and fewer people take part in elections.

In many precincts almost no one votes but the election officers, the judges and clerks; and the cost of elections has run up as high as a dollar per ballot cast and counted. Some of the eastern states have even more voluminous laws and regulations.

Manhood and womanhood suffrage has become a thing of the past, and legislatures are trying to hold fewer elections, and hold all general and local elections on the same day. Multiplicity of lawmaking and regulations tends to break down popular government.

### FOOL ADVERTISING

(Recent Editorial in "San Diego Union.")

"Here's A funny thing," remarked a San Diego business man to a friend of his, the other day. "I had made arrangements to take my car into the Blank Machine Shop, as soon as the week-end holiday was over, to have the valves ground and some other odds and ends of work done on it. A few hours later, as I went to my car to drive home from the office, I found an envelope marked 'Personal' jammed into the window frame of my bus; and when, after some difficulty, I dug the thing out and opened it, I found that it contained an advertising folder from the Blank Machine shop."

"Am I taking my car to the Blank Machine shop next week? You've guessed it. I'm not. I'm perfectly willing to go out of my way to avoid paying out a nickel to the pest-advertisers who litter up parked automobiles in that particular manner."

This motorist was luckier than most; for he happened to have a very definite opportunity to tell the advertiser exactly what he thought of this kind of advertising—and according to our information and belief, he took the opportunity. Most of us who are bothered by throw-away advertising that litters up our automobiles and our front porches, have no immediate recourse against the offenders. We can stay away from their places of business, and most of us do; but it seems to take a long time for the advertisers to become aware of it.

It is a poor salesman who will try to sell his goods by making himself obnoxious to the prospect he wants to sell them to. Throw-away advertising is that kind of a salesman.

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Henry C. Seebold, a well known Ocean Beach plumber who was severely injured in a traffic accident several months ago, has brought suit against the San Diego Electric Railway company, judgment being asked for \$70,000 for his injuries, \$570 for the wreck of his automobile. The Seebold car and a motor bus of the defendant company's collided February 2 at India and Ivy streets.

## CLEAN AND NEWSY

Writing from Los Angeles, Mrs. E. E. Cameron states that she is returning to San Diego for the summer and very pleasingly adds:

"I have enjoyed 'The Beach News' so very much. It is so clean that it is a real pleasure to be able to look over its contents, and not find the terrible slanders, murders and robberies which fill up the newspapers here, together with silly nothings."

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## Katherine's "Kollum"

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### MARRIAGE LINES READ AT ST. JAMES-BY-TH-SEA FOR BRIGGS-ASHER WEDDING

An attractive wedding took place last Tuesday, July 6, at high noon, when Miss Elizabeth Warren Asher, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Asher of Mission Beach, became the bride of Llano Bayton Dixon Briggs, son of Mrs. St. Clare Brown of San Diego. The marriage lines were read at St. James-by-the-Sea in La Jolla by Rev. Bedford Jones in the presence of the members of the immediate families of the couple. Following the marriage, a wedding breakfast was served at Casa de Manana in La Jolla for the bridal couple, their attendants and relatives.

The bride was attended by Miss Bertha Palmer of this city as maid of honor, and Alfred La Mott Brown attended his brother as best man.

The bride was lovely in a gown of shell pink taffeta, made with a tight bodice, and full, scalloped skirt which ended with a deep false hem of net. With this charming gown she wore a large pink taffeta hat and carried Cecil-Bruner roses and lilies-of-the-valley.

Miss Palmer, the maid of honor, was in a gown of shaded Georgette, the shades ranging from pale pink to deep rose, and with a hat to match.

Mrs. Asher, mother of the bride, was gowned in orchid Georgette with a becoming hat to match, and Mrs. Brown, mother of the bridegroom, was in violet velvet brocade chiffon, worn with a hat to match.

The church was simply decorated with softly shaded gladioli, arranged in a beautiful mass on the altar. The color scheme for the table at the Casa de Manana was apricot and blue.

Following the breakfast the young couple left on a boat trip in the north, after which they will make San Diego their home.

The bride is a graduate of the Bishop's school for girls at La Jolla and is well known in the younger set. Llano Briggs graduated from the San Diego high school and the Army and Navy academy at Pacific Beach, and is now engaged in his own automobile business in San Diego.

### Greeting Cards—Froide—Bacon St

### HOLIDAY HOUSE-GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. Kirk Smith of 4829 Saratoga avenue, entertained over the holidays for Mrs. Smith's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Chris. Neujahr, and their children, Miss Marie, Master Freddie, and Chris Neujahr Jr., and Mrs. Smith's sister, Mrs. John Snel, all of Los Angeles.

### GUESTS FROM LOS ANGELES

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Van Houten, of 4817 Saratoga avenue, had as house-guests over the holidays Mr. Van Houten's daughter, Mrs. Jessie Lodge and family, of Los Angeles.

### HOLIDAY VISITORS

Mr. A. T. Middleton and family of Los Angeles are visiting his mother at 4869 Cape May avenue. Mr. Glen Shaver and family of Oakland, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sparks, of Hynes, also visited Mr. Middleton over the week-end.

### PLEASANT PICNIC DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. John Clarke of 4761 Niagara avenue, entertained at a picnic dinner last Monday for twenty-six people composed of relatives and friends. Among the out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Little-hales of Jamestown, North Dakota; Mrs. Nettie Woolbridge and her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Woolbridge, and Miss Made-line Arnold of White Rock, Utah; Mr. and Mrs. George Clifford and daughter Yette of Los Angeles. Mrs. Clark, who had a bad fall on the rocks at the Beach about a week ago, is getting along very nicely.

### VISITORS FROM PORTERVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Capell and son of Porterville, Tulare county, are visiting Mr. Capell's mother, Mrs. M. F. Capell on Niagara avenue.

### CHARLES HUFF DAVIS II. ARRIVES

Announcement as made of the birth of a son June 25, to Mr. and Mrs. John Lynch Davis, Jr., of Pacific Beach, who has been named Charles Huff Davis II.

### MISS WOODWORTH TO MARRY BAPTIST MINISTER

Rev. Owen White of Canada, now pastor of the Ocean Park Baptist church, will be united in marriage to Miss Pearl Woodworth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Woodworth, Bacon street, Ocean Beach, at the First Baptist church, Ocean Beach.

### EUROPEAN TOURIST HONORED AT GRIDGE-TEA

Mrs. William G. Corey of Los Angeles entertained last Wednesday afternoon at the home of her mother at Pacific Beach with a delightful bridge-tea, complimenting Miss Gertrude Connell, who has recently returned from a tour in Europe. Guests of Mrs. Corey who attended the event were:

Miss Gertrude Connell, Mrs. Fred Goodell, Mrs. L. H. Murdock, Mrs. Herman Ascher, Mrs. Charles B. Win-cote, Mrs. William G. Mirow, Mrs. Harry Wiesler, Mrs. Howard Hop-kins, Mrs. August Sensenbrenner, Mrs. C. Wesley Hall, Mrs. Thomas Meanley, Miss Hattie Heller, Miss Beatrice Edmonds, Mrs. Labrey, Mrs. Thomas Scripps, Mrs. Austin Brown, Mrs. F. C. Corey, Mrs. George Jess-op, Mrs. Morston Burnham and Mrs. Eugene Prajt.

### RECOVERING FROM OPERATION

Mrs. Jack Edgar, of 4862 Voltaire street, underwent an operation last Wednesday at the Mercy hospital for appendicitis, and is reported to be recovering nicely. Her husband is the well-known proprietor of the Spanish Kitchen at the Mission Beach Amusement Center.

### FOURTH OF JULY GUESTS

Holiday visitors at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Stanford Vose on Vol-taire street included Mr. and Mrs. Clement Hill of Hollywood; Mr. Van-derpool and his two sons, and Mr. and Mrs. Lighthouse, of Sierra Madre, and Mrs. Peters of Glendale, Calif.

### THROUGH THE NORTHWEST

Dr. and Mrs. N. F. Adamson, former residents of Ocean Beach, write to "The Beach News" from Chicago that they left Bellingham, Washing-ton, early in June and drove over the Lincoln highway to Denver, where they visited for a few days with the doctor's children and at Chicago are visiting other relatives. They will return home by way of Minneapolis and expect to arrive in Bellingham during August, with a trip to Ocean Beach contemplated for the fall and winter.

### TAKING VACATION

Miss Margaret Washington, of Reid's Transfer on Bacon Street is taking a two weeks' vacation.

### MOTORING TO YOSEMITE

Mrs. John W. Rankin and Miss Margaret Rankin are motoring to the Yosemite valley and Lake Tahoe for their vacation and expect to be gone about three weeks.

### SCHOOL ENLARGEMENT

The Board of Education has appro-priated \$5,000 for an addition to the Loma Portal school.

### ARRIVE FROM PHILADELPHIA

The Misses Marie Louise and Er-nestine Cloux and Mr. Jules Cloux arrived here from Philadelphia last Saturday. They are spending the summer with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jules Garnier of 4959 Brighton avenue.

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## O. B. LIBRARY

MARGARET RANKIN, LIBRARIAN

The following list of books is the remainder of the order which came last week and are for circulation at the O. B. B. Library:

Child of the Wild, Marshall; Fer-nande, Maxwell; Ordeal by Marriage, Merrel; Shepherds, Oemler; Major Dane's arden, Perkam; Bananza, Raine; Yellow Shadows, Rohmer; Desolate Splendour, Sadlier; Valley of the Stars, Seltzer; Keller's Anna Ruth, Singmaster; What Is To Be, Sfaith; This Above All, Speakman; Mr. Bottleby Does Something, Thurston; Jorgensen, Tupper; Ma-dame Judas, Turnbull; The House of Hate, Welman; Here and Beyond, Wharton; Uprooted, Whitlock.

### FROM STORKLAND

A son was born July 3 to Mr. and Mrs. John S. Midgley of 2217 Cham-berlain Court, Ocean Beach.

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## SCHOOL DAYS



## Mother's Cook Book

We are like little children in our poor unreason, As we reach after joys That at best can please but for a season. And then are broken toys. —Ella W. Wilcox.

## WARM WEATHER FOODS

**D**URING the summer the wise mother serves plenty of fresh vegetables and fruits. Using less of meats and no such desserts as steamed puddings and rich pastries. This is not only a saving in time for the cook, but also a saving on the family digestion.

No dinner seems quite complete without a bit of something sweet to finish the meal—dates and figs and raisins have a place in the menu. A few stuffed dates will be sufficiently satisfying; they are easy to prepare and are not expensive.

Nuts and raisins have always been liked for dessert; these, too, are quickly made ready.

Ices and ice creams may be purchased or made in the home. With a good freezer it takes no more time than many other well-liked desserts and they are much more wholesome.

For meats that are especially good for warm weather, the following are suggestive:

**Jellied Veal.** Wipe a knuckle of veal and cut into pieces, put it into a kettle with two quarts of water, bring slowly to the simmering point and simmer for two hours; then add two onions, one blade of mace, one bay leaf, twelve whole cloves, six peppercorns, one-half teaspoonful of ground allspice and simmer one hour longer. Take out the knuckle, carefully remove the bones and put the meat into a square mold. Boil the liquor until reduced to one quart, strain, add a fourth of a cupful of good vinegar, salt and pepper to taste; pour it over the meat and set away to cool over night. When cold turn out carefully and slice.

**Italian Cheese.** Take one pound of veal, one and one-half pounds of calf's liver, one-half pound of ham, one small onion, half a teaspoonful of sage, two tablespoonfuls of chopped parsley, one-fourth of a box of gelatin, two teaspoonfuls of salt, one-fourth of a teaspoonful of black pepper, and a dash of cayenne. Chop all the meat fine, add seasonings and grated onion. Grease a mold, press the meat into it, cover and steam three hours. Remove the cover, pour off the broth, add to it the gelatin which has been soaking in a little cold water, mix well and chill.

*Nellie Maxwell*  
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"When it comes to promoting modesty in women's clothes," says pertinent Polly, "the reform wave isn't one, two, three with the fold wave."

## HER CHILDREN'S TOYS

By DOUGLAS MALLOCH

**T**HE things of old are laid away, With which the children used to play.

For now they play with larger things: The gleam of gold, the deeds of kings, And woman's world, and men's affairs.

And so the little dolly lies And at the attic ceiling stares, And so the little soldier sighs And wonders now if no one cares?

They well remember boy and girl: Her hair, and how it used to curl; His legs and how they used to run And never got their romping done. Yes, childhood hours they well recall, But now those happy hours are past:

One day he let the soldier fall, And she laid down her doll at last; And now does no one care at all?

As, yes. They hear it now and then: Another step approach again; Another hand the dolly's dress Will smoothe with quiet tenderness. When far the foot of childhood fares The children's playthings mean so much!

Another climbs the attic stairs, Another comes their toys to touch— Yes, there is some one still who cares. (© by McClure Newspaper Syndicate.)

## How It Started

By JEAN NEWTON

## THE MENAGERIE

**T**HE menagerie, in the strict sense of the word, is as old as civilization itself. As soon as man became separated from the animals came his desire to know something of them, which resulted in collections of the wild inhabitants of the forests and the plains, first for private and then for public amusement.

The Romans had their lions and other wild beasts, and Julius Caesar made a note of the fact that the rich British chieftains kept hares, geese and domestic animals for their amusement. When the Conqueror went to England he kept bears, and Henry I had a collection of lynxes, lions and leopards.

The first real menagerie in the modern sense was founded in England in the Thirteenth century, when the king of England received as a gift from his kinsman, Louis IX of France an elephant, the first ever seen in England. This was exhibited and kept at the expense of the city of London, and before long was joined by other unfamiliar specimens which became known as the Menagerie of the Tower, where they were housed.

The development of the zoological parks which we find in large cities today had its origin in a movement started in Paris in 1804 in the Jardin des Plantes, resulting in the establishment of menageries in the principal cities of Europe. The first important zoological institution in this country was that founded in Philadelphia in 1871.

## Amateur Designed Capitol

The original capitol building at Washington was in reality designed by an amateur architect, William Thornton of Philadelphia. He had not submitted the plans in reply to the advertisement for bids, but showed them after his return from the West Indies, and as they were liked by President Washington, they were placed before the commissioners and accepted. Later there was much wrangling over the award, especially because Stephen Hallett's plans were held by some to be quite similar. Lathrobe was the actual architect during the construction of the first building, later burned by the British.

## THE YOUNG LADY ACROSS THE WAY



The young lady across the way says she supposes they flavor the new scarlet fever serum with something so the children won't object to taking it.

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## DADDY'S EVENING FAIRY TALE

By Mary Graham Bonner

## BILLY BROWN BEAR

"Heigh-ho, heigh-ho, it's my birthday, it's my birthday," said Billy Brown Bear.

"You don't mean to say so?" asked one of the other bears.

"Yes, I do, for it is," said Billy Brown Bear.

"It is not just one of my usual yearly birthdays—it is something very fine and different."

"What do you mean, Billy?" asked the other bears.

But just then the keeper came along and he said to some one who was walking with him and talking with him:

"A brown bear gets his full growth when he is six years old."

"See this fine fellow?" The friend of the keeper nodded his head.

"Well, this fellow," continued the keeper, "has just about got his full growth. Yes, I'd say he was a full-grown bear now."

"He is six years old."

The bears all growled rather softly and the keeper gave them some love bran mush for a little meal.

Then he went on.

"Didn't I say so?" asked Billy Brown Bear.

"Yes, you most certainly did," said the other bears.

"Yes, it's more than my first, second, third, fourth or fifth birthday," said Billy.

"To be sure," said the others, "it is more than that."

"Not only is it my sixth birthday," continued Billy proudly, "which is a



A Full-Grown Bear.

year more than my fifth birthday, but it is the great day upon which I am considered a full-grown bear."

So all the bears growled, wishing Billy Brown Bear "Many Happy Returns of the Day."

But the polar bears nearby turned up their noses and paced in their yards with their heads held high, for they did not believe in being friendly and pleasant.

"Heigh-ho, heigh-ho," said Billy Brown Bear once more, "I love to feel I am a full grown bear at last!"

And to show how big he was he stood up on his hind legs and he certainly looked like a full-grown bear, all right!

People passing by him stopped and looked at him and admired his beautiful brown fur and his height and his pleasant, friendly looks.

He was very happy, too. Then the others sent a Zootlet to the Zootlet society and hoped that Billy Brownie would use it in Natureland News.

You know they put the lines of the Zootlets very far apart so they will be very easy to read.

This was the Zootlet they sent in honor of Billy Brown Bear's birthday.

Many happy returns, of the day,

Billy Brown Bear's on his way.

He has reached his sixth birthday,

And is full grown, so they say.

He is fine and he is tall.

He is anything but small.

He will laugh but never bawl.

He is never mean at all.

Many happy returns, Mr. Bear,

Of your fine full growth we're now aware.

We cannot help at your stature stare.

You're our own fine Billy Brown Bear.

## Pussy Boils

Four-year-old Bobby was stroking the cat before the fireplace in perfect content. The cat, also happy, began to purr loudly. Bobby gazed at her askance for a while, then suddenly seized her by the tail and dragged her roughly away from the hearth. His mother interposed.

"You must not hurt your kitty, Bobby."

"I'm not," said Bobby, protesting. "but I've got to get her away from the fire. She's beginning to boil."

## He's Been to the Movies

Grammar Teacher—Willie, tell me what it is when I say, "I love, you love, he loves."

Willie—It's one of those triangles where somebody gets shot.

## Too Severe

Sufferer—Say, old man, can you tell me something to cure toothache?

Friend—Yes, I can—the sight of my dentist.—Madrid, Buen Humor.

## Community Building

## House Design Should Guard Against Fire

When one reads the reports which indicate the tremendous losses sustained by people in the United States on account of conflagrations, it is readily agreed that fire-stopping cannot safely or wisely be ignored by the home builder. The safety of the family and the preservation of the structural integrity of the home in large measure depend upon it.

The remedies for those fire hazards which are created by carelessness have been discussed in many books and newspaper and magazine articles. Yet in spite of these warnings fires continue to occur.

Though personal carelessness is the most common cause of fire, hazards of construction are an important factor in determining the extent of resulting property damage. One of the chief considerations in connection with these hazards is involved in fire stopping.

The usual methods employed in building small houses give but slight consideration to construction which will retard the progress of fire. Most such houses contain many concealed spaces which will allow fire to gain headway without discovery, to eat its way from floor to floor, and then suddenly to leap into open flame. There now exists a very real need for easily understood drawings of fire-stopping details which when employed in actual construction will confine fire to its place of origin, and thus reduce to a minimum the excessive preventable annual fire loss in this country.

## Well-Marked Streets

## of Prime Importance

Progressive citizens of Boston have decided that "a signless city is an abomination to its citizens and particularly to its visitors." After a campaign their signs are to be placed on every corner. These signs are to be visible, conspicuous, uniform and durable.

Champaign is fast becoming a signless city. Many street signs are missing and others are too old and obscure to be of value. Many important intersections are not marked.

Another touring season approaches. Strangers will be as bewildered as ever unless some arrangement is made to guide them about the city by means of well-marked streets. Important entries to the city, the business section, main routes and streets should at least be marked and provision made to place signs on minor streets later.

Champaign is too progressive a community to remain a signless city much longer.—Champaign News Gazette.

## Boy Scouts as Firemen

Boy scout firemen are real assets to a city. Their duty is to stop the fire before it happens—safely first. These organized units receive their instruction from some veterans in the municipal fire department. They make regular inspections for fire hazards in their districts. Are fire escapes clear, dark hallways unencumbered by rubbish and gasoline, kerosene and other inflammables stored in safe places? They learn different types of fire-fighting apparatus and how to administer first aid. In the event of fire they help the police preserve the fire lines, act as messengers and otherwise render efficient service. Nearly 10,000 scouts won a special merit badge in firemanship last year.—Harry B. Brainerd in the American City.

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Red cedar shingles will not require frequent repainting or restaining, as is the case with walls built of many other materials. This is especially so when good stain is used.

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## Consider Before Planting

In regard to the placing of trees and, with respect to larger property, the design and construction of their grounds (road building, grading, disposition of lawn areas, gardens, whether formal or informal, and all other features of beauty and service) able counsel should be obtained. It is desirable that trees and shrubs, when transplanted to beautify grounds, should be well placed, both scientifically and artistically, in order that they may form a permanent and beautiful planting.

## Advertisement Pays

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## The Ayes Have It

"The queen of Spain has begun a campaign to bring back the ankle skirt and the long sleeve, but I'm afraid she's going to be defeated," Jean Patou said to a New York correspondent.

He added with a chuckle: "A world vote on the question, 'Shall girls continue to wear knee skirts and no sleeves?' would be bound to result in a victory for the eyes."

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## "SCISSORS" PAINTED LAMPS; MUCH IS MADE OF LACE

THERE'S no place like home, and every day in every way American homes are getting better and better. The most unpretentious of modern homes and the smallest of flats are built for comfort and convenience, with attention to interiors that will make satisfactory backgrounds for tasteful furnishings.

About the most important of small furnishings are lamps and lamp shades, and now come the new "scissors" painted lamps and crystalline lamp shades, handsome enough for millionaires' homes and inexpensive

transparent paint and crystalline are added. For this the transparent paint is thickened a little and applied to a section of the shade. While it is wet the crystalline is sprinkled on it, using a salt shaker with large holes. When the shade is entirely covered it must not be touched until it has dried for at least twelve hours. The edges are then finished with braid or other trimming, pasted to place.

Midsummer has stepped over the horizon of fashion and is bringing with it the last adaptation of spring styles to summer needs. The



PRETTY HOMEMADE LAMP

enough for anyone. They may be bought ready-made, but hundreds of women, who could not otherwise afford them, are making them at home. Such a lamp and shade are pictured here.

To make the lamp use an unglazed pottery vase, or a glazed surface may be used by first painting it over with a mixture of denatured alcohol and transparent amber sealing wax, of the consistency of thin sirup. When this is dry a printed design is cut out from crepe paper and pasted to the vase. Use a mixture of paste and glue and brush on the back of the design with the grain of the paper, being sure that the edges are well pasted. Put in position and press down very carefully. Now paint the entire surface again with the mixture of alcohol and sealing wax, and, when dry, paint in the background in any desired color, using sealing wax and alcohol mixed to the consistency of cream. A second coat of the transparent paint may be applied as a finish.

To make the shade, a wire frame is first wound with white taffeta seam binding, sewing or pasting down the ends. Handkerchief linen cut on the bias is then stretched smoothly over

survival of the fittest is evidenced in quite a wide variety of styling, which includes all the features best suited to sheer frocks, such as capes, jabots, godets, full skirts and short or draped sleeves. Georgette and chiffon frocks are diversified by many different lace treatments and the use of lace is lavish in dresses for formal occasions, culminating in dresses made entirely of lace, posed over a foundation slip.

Just now black and pink make a fashionable color combination which is used in day or evening frocks, and is very popular for dinner and dance dresses. Lace makes a dignified appeal and the black lace dress over a color is in high favor for dresses of mature styling, like the model shown here. This is made of black lace in a chantilly pattern and posed over a pale pink slip. Ecru lace provides the graceful girdle and large medallions let into the full skirt. The short lace cape, falling at the back, is a chic and dashing accessory.

The long-waisted bodice, set on to a full skirt by means of a crushed girdle, is an accepted style that makes easy sailing for the dressmaker who is undertaking an all-lace frock. Lace lends its dignity and fine ap-



DRESSY SUMMER FROCK

the frame and first pinned and then sewed to place. Paint the entire surface with the transparent sealing wax, paint and allow to dry for one hour. Meanwhile cut out the design wanted from crepe paper, and when the shade is dry pin to the shade, in small sections, sticking the pins straight through the linen. When satisfactorily arranged remove one piece at a time, apply paste and put it back on the shade, pressing to the foundation with soft paper. When completed paint the entire surface again with the transparent paint and put in the background, as described for the lamp. After this is dry the final coat of

peal to many pretty frocks made of georgette or chiffon. Deep cream colored ecru laces are used, in godets or narrow, triangular panels, set into circular or plaited skirts or in deep lace borders and circular flouncings. These and set-in medallions, are combined with all the light colors and with black, but the favorite combinations are those that have little color contrast or none, as in many lovely frocks of warm tan georgette made up into lace to match, or pale gold georgette with cream lace.

JULIA BOTTOMLEY.

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## FLANK STEAK MAKES A GOOD MOCK DUCK



Preparing Mock Duck for Dinner.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Have you tried mock duck? When it comes to the table, it looks like a duck—a neat browned roll, dressed with a bit of parsley—but it's really a flank steak. This, of course, is one of the least expensive cuts of beef, so your household allowance for the table today will go a little further than usual. A flank steak is almost the only piece of beef which has no bone, the United States Department of Agriculture points out, and as there is little fat or other waste on it, two pounds will be enough for the average family. Be sure the butcher does not score it. Scoring, or cutting the surface, merely lets most of the delicious meat juices escape into the pan, and the result is a dry and tasteless dish. The flank steak is to be stuffed and rolled, then braised in a covered roasting pan, and served with plenty of gravy.

**Ingredients for Stuffing.**  
Make a stuffing of the following ingredients:

1½ cups of stale bread (soaked in warm water and ¼ cup finely squeezed out until it is just moist)  
1 tsp. salt  
1 small onion (minced)  
¼ cup finely chopped fat (either beef suet or salt pork)  
½ tsp. pepper  
½ cup of celery

Mix these well and spread the stuffing over the steak. Roll it up so that when cut for serving you will cut through the grain. Fasten it with butcher's skewers or tie it with clean string. Roll the outside of the "mock duck" in flour, then sear the surface in a small amount of fat in a baking pan. Add more flour if necessary, so as to have enough for brown gravy. When the meat is thoroughly seared on all sides, add a cup of water, cover closely and cook until tender. This should require about 1½ hours. Add more water if necessary when making your gravy. When the meat is done, mix two tablespoonfuls of fat with an equal amount of flour, add the liquor from the meat pan and enough water, which may be that which you have drained from the potatoes, to make as much gravy as you need. If the steak had fat on it there may be enough fat and also flour in the pan to make the gravy without adding any other.

### Eggs Cooked Slowly Are Valuable for Children

Eggs contain protein of a particularly valuable kind for building the bodies of children as well as chicks. The chick gradually absorbs the almost pure protein of the egg white as he develops within the shell. Children, however, make the best use of egg protein when it is slightly cooked, believes the United States Department of Agriculture. Protein is very sensitive to heat. If cooked rapidly at high temperature it becomes tough and hard. Even if an egg is soft boiled, that is, cooked in boiling water for three minutes, the white nearest the shell becomes hard, while the rest of it remains "runny" and the yolk is practically raw. The coddled egg, which is dropped into a vessel of water just under the boiling point, covered, and removed from the heat and allowed to cook slowly for about eight minutes, has a tender, jelly-like white and a soft but sufficiently cooked yolk. Scientists who have studied this question, however, found that not only are eggs more appetizing when cooked slowly in this way, but they are actually more readily and completely digested.

### Important Fat Substance

Fats are the most concentrated fuel foods in the diet, and from the commercial standpoint fat is the most important substance in milk, since it is the source of butter and is an important constituent of many kinds of cheese. The fat of milk, known also as butterfat, is in the form of small globules varying in size in the different kinds of milk, and, being lighter than water, these globules tend to rise to the top of the milk as it stands, thus forming cream.

### Milk for Infants

That the best food for an infant is milk from a strong, healthy woman is admitted by everyone. When this is not obtainable, the more nearly the substitute resembles it the better. Cow's milk is the most common substitute and when necessary may be artificially modified.

## REMOVING GREASE SPOT ON GARMENT

### Carbon Tetrachloride Will Be Found Valuable.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Every housekeeper discovers from time to time a grease spot on some garment. She would like to be able to remove such spots herself. Unfortunately, almost all effective fat solvents are inflammable and are not to be recommended for home use. An exception to this is carbon tetrachloride, which can be purchased at



Removing Spots From Dress.

any drug store. It will be found to be a very valuable addition to the spot-removing materials kept in the cleaning closet. Place the wrong side of the fabric face down on a blotter and apply a small quantity of the solvent with a small piece of cheesecloth or a sponge. A pad of cheesecloth may be used in place of the blotter, sometimes to much better effect. The stain may be soaked in a small amount of the solvent placed in a small dish, although this method is more likely to produce a ring.

## Using Rice Instead of Potatoes Is All Right

Rice and potatoes are not exactly the same in food value, even though they are both rich in starch. Potatoes contain some minerals and vitamins in addition to the starch. Milled rice is entirely lacking in these. If there are plenty of fruits and vegetables in the daily meals, however, using rice instead of potatoes makes little difference in nutrition. The needed minerals and vitamins are supplied by the vegetables and fruits. If the diet is so limited that potatoes are one of the few vegetables served, the situation is different. Then care must be taken to provide some foods that contain the substances lacking in the rice, the United States Department of Agriculture points out.

Sweet potatoes, rice boiled so that it is dry and flaky, hominy either whole or in grits, macaroni which is made from wheat, and dasheens are other American-grown starchy foods that can be added to the menu in place of potatoes. It so happens that this year when the potato crop was light, the corn crop was unusually heavy. Using corn products now will help in evening things up for the farmer.

## What Foods Are Best to Correct Constipation

Dietitians are frequently asked what foods are best to correct constipation. This is a difficult question to answer briefly except along very general lines. In general, fruits and vegetables, and whole-grain products are valuable for this on account of the cellulose present, states the United States Department of Agriculture. The aim in correcting constipation is to get residue with sufficient bulk to stimulate the intestines and also to have one which holds water. Cellulose is very incompletely digested and tends to hold water. A physician should be consulted in any long standing case of constipation.

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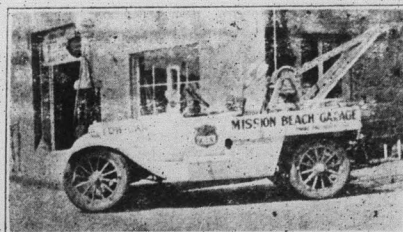
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This is one of the two new official posters of the Sesqui-Centennial International Exposition, opening in Philadelphia June 1 to celebrate 150 years of American Independence. The Exposition will continue to December 1. Dan Smith, the artist, has symbolized the epoch in history which the tolling of the Liberty Bell in Independence Hall, July 4, 1776, marked and has depicted the growth of the United States from the original thirteen states, represented by the thirteen stars which emerge from the mouth of the Liberty Bell.

### VIRGINIA PRODUCTS

FORM UNIQUE AWARD TO

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The Virginia Chest, containing Virginia products, has been won by the California Press association, according to an announcement which has just been made by H. C. Hotelling, secretary of the National Editorial association. California brought in more members to the national organization during the year than any other state. The Virginia chest, a handsome reproduction of a pirate chest, filled with Virginia products, has gone forward and will be presented at the convention of the association when it convenes in Los Angeles on June 30.

The Virginia chest was especially built at Richmond and is a unique gift. It is of heavy Blue Ridge mountain oak, hand hewn, and is one of the finest chests of its kind ever built.

The design for the chest was perfected by Fred G. Hagen, of Richmond, from sketches of Howard Pyle, the famous artist. The box typified the treasure chest of Blackbeard, who once raided the Virginia coast, and it has been "dug up" by the Virginia State Chamber of Commerce, with Virginia's chief treasures, her products, as a special advertising feature of the convention.

Hand wrought iron, forged and worked into shape after the same processes used in Colonial days, was used to bind the box and a colonial lock of ancient pattern closes the box.

Miss Bessie Harris, Richmond artist, with five various kinds of alcohol, benzene, oils and stains, treated

the woodwork to give it an ancient appearance which deceives all but experts. On the ends of the chest appear the skull and cross-bones, and on its top a wonderful burned-in drawing of Captain Blackbeard.

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### SUMMER MIGRATIONS AND ACTIVITIES OF INSTRUCTORS AT POINT LOMA HIGH SCHOOL

The faculty of the Point Loma high school has nearly literally "scattered to the four ends of the earth." Henry Holt and family are driving overland to Norfolk, Va.; Miss Hilda Dirks is en route for Walla, Walla, Wash.; Coach William Foote is also driving to Minneapolis, where he will attend summer school; Miss Eulalie Hill will swelter in Matietta, Ohio; George Easton is driving to Salem, Ore., to be with relatives; Miss Jane Gale will enjoy the vacation at French River, Minn.; Miss Grace Reely will be at Missoula, Mont.; Miss Eunice Trimble visits home folks in Wickliffe, Ky.; Miss Virginia Williams is driving home to Postville, Iowa, with friends via Portland, Ore.; Miss Eugenia Welker will try the Arizona climate at Holbrook; Miss Irene Meyers will be with a sister in Glendale; Miss Charlotte Thomas will summer at San Francisco and Santa Monica; Miss Lucile Eade will be at Hollywood—not in the movies; Miss Ethel Henderson, Miss Irma Gibson will attend the summer school at Berkeley, as will Ernest Stirwalt at Stanford; Pete W. Ross and family will drive north for a month or so, perhaps reaching the Canadian border; Clarence R. Swenson will move into his new home in Plumas park; Mrs. M'less Angier,

Miss Laura Fenton, Miss Mary Pickett, Mrs. Edna Gillespie, Miss Imogene McIlvain, Miss Frances Clapp, Arnold Klaus, C. Jack Zinn, Hubert Barnes, Alfred Dildine, H. C. McMillan, till he removes to San Bernardino, will just enjoy real vacation life in San Diego.

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sentations, combined with light, catchy music. By use of pantomime only, W. C. Fields made his reputation as a comedian. Rapidly climbing to the top of the ladder by way of the "Follies", then after scoring tremendous individual successes in "Sally of the Sawdust" and "That Royal Girl", he was created a star by Paramount. Fields appears in "It's the Old Army Game," at Balboa Theatre, for four days in one of the finest potential drawing cards in comedy.

### CABRILLO THEATER

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